

PARADE! PARADE! SUNDAY, JULY 15, 1951

The 18th Annual Commemoration of the tragic death of our distinguished aviators Capt. Stephen Darius and Lt. Stanley Girenas for whom our Post was named, will be held SUNDAY, JULY 15, 1951, at the Darius-Girenas Monument, 67th St. and S. California Ave., Marquette Park.

Most of our appeals to participate in various events of our Post have received an unusually cool response. Only a few of the same members attended funerals, parades, and other events of our Post. Why? We have 1,103 members in the Post—that sure is more than a handful, yet only a few dozen are dependable.

As a true Legionnaire, please accept this sincere appeal to attend this year's Commemoration Services. Don't let anything interfere with your participation. MAKE THIS A MUST, if you haven't done so previously.

The assembly for the parade will be at Don Varnas Post Headquarters, 6816 S. Western Avenue at 2:00 Sharp. The main event will take place at Darius-Girenas Monument.

REMEMBER THE DATE:

SUNDAY JULY 15, 1951, 2:00 P.M.

STARTING POINT OF PARADE:

69th and S. WESTERN AVE.

BE SURE TO WEAR YOUR LEGION UNIFORM OR CAP.

Anthony H. Kasper
Chairman



St. Dariaus ir S. Gireno mirties sukakties minejimas Chicagoje:

1. Liepos 15 d. Amerikos Legiono Dariaus-Gireno Posto nariai žyguoja į iškilmes.
2. To pat Posto Pagelbinio vieneto (Auxiliary) narių grupė, dalyvavusių iškilmėse.
3. Dariaus-Gireno Posto Pagelbinio vieneto prezidentė p. J. Lapinskiene ir Posto komandierius J. E. Viscount padeda vainiką prie Dariaus ir Gireno paminklo.

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Commander John L. Paukstis - 1952
President Helen M. Kareiva - 1952



JOHN L. PAUKSTIS



DARIUS-GIRENAS LEGION GROUPS SEAT OFFICERS

Darius-Girenas American Legion post and auxiliary recently seated officers for the 1951-52 season at ceremonies in the post memorial building, 4416 S. Western av. John L. Paukstis was installed as post commander and Helen M. Kareiva, president of the auxiliary.



Paukstis

Other post officers are Stephen G. Gay and Stephen J. Sisk, vice commanders; B. P. Juodagalvis, adjutant; Alex Strelesky, finance officer; John W. Pachankis, chaplain; Alfonse F. Wells, judge advocate; Dr. Stephen Blezis and Dr. F. Pulsucki Le Van, medical officers; Edward A. Apke, historian; Joseph A. Kibort and R. P. Mkalajunas, service officers, and Bruno A. Prankus, sergeant at arms.

Harriet Kamin and Mary Martin were installed as auxiliary vice presidents; Cecilia Gay and Millie Kirsgalvis, secretaries; Irene Danta, treasurer; Jennie Bagdonas, chaplain; Susan Krause, historian, and Ona Parker, sergeant at arms.